



# Somersby Snippets

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Term 3 - Week 1

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## Term 3 2018

July 27	NATIONAL TREE DAY
Aug 2	Debate at Ourimbah PS
Aug 3	NAIDOC Day at Peats Ridge PS
Aug 6	<b>EDUCATION WEEK BEGINS</b> P&C Meeting
Aug 8	KMHS Day of Excellence Bookmobile
Aug 9	Assembly 2pm School Public Speaking Comp
Aug 10	SPS Athletics Carnival <b>OPEN DAY</b> P&C BBQ
Aug 15	Small Schools Spectacular rehearsal
Aug 16	Central Coast Public Speaking Competition



## PRINCIPAL'S NEWS

Welcome back everyone! We hope you all had a wonderful break, ready for another jam-packed term.

We would like to welcome some new students and their families to our lovely school community; Cody, Michalis, Lezaiyah, Nikolas, Jamilia. We know that you will love your time here at our school and we look forward to getting know you all.

### Interactive Touchscreen

A huge thank you to our wonderful P&C for their incredibly generous donation of an Interactive Touchscreen panel for the 5/6 classroom. Without the support of the P&C and their helpers, and our supportive community, donations of this magnitude would not be possible. So to everyone who is on the P&C, has helped at our fundraisers and supported these activities – we say thanks!

### NAIDOC Day

Next Friday, **3<sup>rd</sup> August** K-6 will all be attending the NAIDOC Day at Peats Ridge PS, along with our neighbouring Mountains Schools. A permission note has been sent home today, with their being no cost associated for this excursion. The hire of our school facilities has allowed the school to cover the cost of the bus and our Aboriginal funding has covered the cost of the activities on the day (\$10 per student).

A lunch order has been sent home today as well. If you would like your child to order lunch on the day payment needs to be in the bag, we will not be able to accept payment online as the money needs to go to the Peats Ridge P&C.

### Small School's Spectacular

On the 6<sup>th</sup> of September our school will be part of the Small School's Spectacular – a musical involving all Small Schools on the Central Coast, based on the popular television show, 'The Amazing Race.' Each class will have a dance to perform and Alie and Gryffyn have been selected as main characters for the play. The show will be performed at the new Art House in Wyong with a matinee show at 2pm and an evening show at 6pm.

All classes are well underway with rehearsals so we are asking parents to notify their child's class teacher if their child will not be able to attend on the day as this will affect the group performance.

As there is cost involved in the hire of the Art House all schools are asking their local communities if they know of any businesses who may like to help sponsor the night. Businesses would be advertised through all school newsletters and on the program. If you know of anyone who may be willing to help, could you please put them in touch with the school for further details.

Information regarding ticketing can be found on the flyer in this newsletter.

We look forward to a great night's entertainment!

## P & C

### Contact information

somersbypandc@gmail.com

### Uniform Shop

#### Opening Hours:

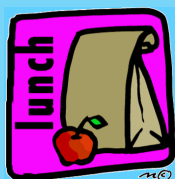
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Wednesdays:

8:45-9:15am

**Contact:** Alison

Alison.ward30@hotmail.com



### Canteen

Nachos **\$4.00**

or

Ham and cheese

Croissant **\$3.00**

### Quote of the Day

*"The happiest people don't have the best of everything, they just make the best of everything."*

**School Security  
Number**

**1300 880 021**

*The community  
acknowledges  
traditional custodians of  
the land on which the  
school is located.*

### Central Coast Public Speaking Competition

Over the next two weeks all classes will be holding their Public Speaking competitions. Four finalists from each Stage will be selected to compete in the school finals, to be held on Thursday, 9<sup>th</sup> August.

Following are details regarding times etc:

Early Stage 1 and Stage 1	<b>1 – 2 minutes</b> (warning bell at 1½ minutes)
Stage 2	<b>2 – 3 minutes</b> (warning bell at 2½ minutes. Continuous bell will sound once time limit has been exceeded)
Stage 3	<b>3 - 4 minutes</b> (warning bell at 3½ minutes. Continuous bell will sound once time limit has been exceeded)

The topic choice is up to the individual.

### Interrelate

Last term information notes were sent home to students in Years 3-6 regarding the Interrelate sessions that will be held at Peats Ridge PS. These sessions are very informative and deal with growing older and the changes our children go through in a respectful and sensitive manner.

If you are intending on going, please **return the notes and payment by tomorrow.**

### Small Schools Soccer Knockout

Our third round clash will be against Kirkton PS. At this stage we are waiting to confirm a date, however it is expected that we will play in the next few weeks. More details will be sent home as soon as we can.

Kirsty Squires

### Canteen News

Our Term 3 menu is being sent home to all families today.

The canteen is still **URGENTLY** in need of parent helpers on Fridays. If you can assist, or would like more information, please call Nicole on 0431 044 749.

Thank you!

Nicole Brown

### Office News

Scholastic Book Club order forms for Issue 5 are being sent home to all students today. Orders are due back at school by **Friday 10th August.**

This will be the only opportunity to order from Book Club this term as we have our annual Scholastic Book Fair coming up in Book Week (20—24 August).

### C.C. Dance Festival DVD Orders

A reminder that all orders are due by **Monday 30th July.** Cost is \$20.00 per DVD plus \$5.00 for any additional dance items. Payment can be made directly to the school office or via the school's website.

Jo Comensoli

### Premier's Debating Challenge

The Somersby Stingers will be attending the final Debating Gala next Thursday, 2nd August. The Gala Day format is a wonderful opportunity for the new students on the debating team to watch others debate and to discuss aspects of debating with peers from other schools, as well as having the opportunity to debate.

I am looking forward to seeing the Stingers putting all their newly gained knowledge to use next Thursday.

Kylie Gowans

### *PBL Wall of Fame*

**Congratulations to this week's  
'Somersbee' Award Winner:**

**Term 2, Week 10:**

**Kayden**



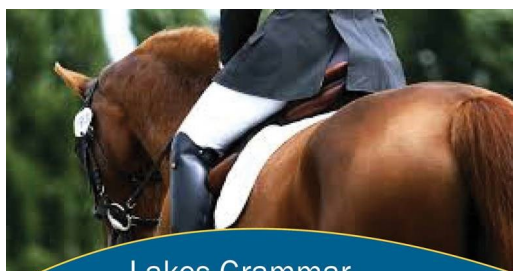
### **Canteen Menu—29th June**

**Nachos** - with cheese, sour cream  
& sweet chilli sauce **\$4.00**

**Ham & cheese Croissant** **\$3.00**

Please specify your child's choice  
& have orders in before 9am Friday  
morning.

Thanks,  
Nicole



### **Lakes Grammar Interschool Equestrian Event**

**MONDAY 6 AUGUST 2018**

**MORISSET SHOWGROUND**

**8:00AM start**

**8yrs - 18yrs Ring Events:**

Best Presented, Riding, Hack and Pleasure Class

**8yrs - 18yrs Sporting Events:**

Bending, Keyhole, Bouncy Pony and Barrels

(All events run under Pony Club rules)

**\$30.00 per student. Entries close Friday 27 July**

Entries can be downloaded from [www.lakes.nsw.edu.au](http://www.lakes.nsw.edu.au) and sent to Cynthia Jobe-Parker, Lakes Grammar - An Anglican School, PO Box 6069, Gorokan NSW 2263. Please see rider/team entry form for further details or contact Cynthia Jobe-Parker on 4393 4111 or [cynthia.jobe-parker@lakes.nsw.edu.au](mailto:cynthia.jobe-parker@lakes.nsw.edu.au).



### **New School Banking rewards now available!**

Exciting new Term 3 rewards with a Super Savers theme are now available, while stocks last!

#### **Mighty Boom Handball**



#### **Heat Reactor Pencils**



For every deposit made at school students will receive a silver Dollarmites token. Once students have individually collected 10 tokens they can redeem them for exclusive School Banking reward items in recognition of their regular savings habits. There are two new items released each term so be sure to keep an eye out for them!

Thank you for supporting the School Banking program and remember, School Banking day is every **Thursday**.

### **TERM DATES 2018**

**TERM : 3**

**Commences:**

**23rd July**

**Ends: 28th September**

**TERM : 4**

**Commences:**

**15th October**

**Ends: 21st December**

### **NOTES**

**NAIDOC Day**

**Permission Notes &**

**Lunch orders**

**due 31.07.18**

### **REMINDERS**

**\*C.C. Dance Festival  
DVD orders due by  
31.07.18**

**\*Book Club orders  
due by 10.08.18**





Come on the trip of a lifetime as teams of two embark on an adventure that will take them to 18 destinations around the world, covering nearly 50 thousand kilometres!

# THE AMAZING RACE SMALL SCHOOLS

Who will have the right combination of strategy, strength, skill, and teamwork to win the ultimate prize?  
Get ready to set off on The Amazing Race Small Schools.

## Thursday 6th September

**2pm Matinee Performance - \$15**

**6pm Main Performance - \$20**

THE ART HOUSE  
19-21 Margaret St, Wyong NSW 2259

Book at the box office or [www.thearthousewyong.com.au](http://www.thearthousewyong.com.au)

